IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TYLER DIVISION

ADAPTIX, INC.,

Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. 6:15-cv-00041-RWS

v.

ALCATEL-LUCENT USA, INC., et al.,

CONSOLIDATED LEAD CASE PATENT CASE

Defendants.

ADAPTIX, INC.,

v.

ALCATEL-LUCENT USA, INC., and CELLCO PARTNERSHIP d/b/a VERIZON WIRELESS Civil Action No. 6:15-cv-00604 PATENT CASE

PLAINTIFF'S ANSWER TO DEFENDANT CELLCO PARTNERSHIP D/B/A VERIZON WIRELESS'S COUNTERCLAIMS

Plaintiff, ADAPTIX Inc. ("ADAPTIX"), answers the counterclaims of Defendant Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Defendant"), as follows:

COUNTERCLAIMS FOR DECLARATORY JUDGMENT

NATURE OF THE ACTION

- 1. Denies that Adaptix's allegations are baseless, but otherwise admits.
- 2. Admits.
- 3. Admits.
- 4. Admits.

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JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 5. Denies that 28 U.S.C. § 2201 provides jurisdiction, but otherwise admits.
- 6. Admits that venue is proper, but otherwise denies.

PARTIES

- 7. Admits.
- 8. Admits.

COUNTERCLAIM COUNT I

(Non-Infringement of U.S. Patent No. 8,934,445)

- 9. See paragraphs 1 through 8, above.
- 10. Denies.
- 11. Denies.

COUNTERCLAIM COUNT II

(Invalidity of U.S. Patent No. 8,934,445)

- 12. See paragraphs 1 through 8, above.
- 13. Denies.
- 14. Denies.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, ADAPTIX respectfully requests that this Court:

- a. Deny all relief requested in Defendant's Counterclaims;
- b. Grant the relief requested by ADAPTIX in its Complaint; and
- c. Grant ADAPTIX such further relief as this Court finds appropriate.

Date: August 5, 2015 Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served this 5th day of August, 2015, with a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule CV-5(a)(3). Any other counsel of record will be served by electronic mail, facsimile transmission and/or first class mail on this same date.

/s/ Paul J. Hayes

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